



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application

Inventor(s): Nguyen et al.

Appln. No.: 09/589,633

Confirm. No.: 8592

Filed: 06/07/2000

Title: VISUAL INDICATOR AND TRAPPING
SYSTEM

PATENT APPLICATION

Art Unit: 1725

Examiner: Stoner, Kiley Shawn

Customer No. 23910

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(Attorney Signature)

Sheldon R. Meyer, Reg. No. 27,660

Signature Date: June 10, 2004

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Art Unit 1725
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted with this communication in connection with the above-identified application are the following:

- ☒ A Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 to the Office Action dated 03/10/2004
- ☐ A Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 to the Office Action dated _____.
- ☐ A Petition for an Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136.
- ☒ Applicant(s) qualify for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

The fee associated with this communication has been calculated as shown below:

- ☐ No fee is required with this communication.
- ☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.
- ☐ A fee for extension of time for response under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 filed within _ month(s) after the original time for response of \$___ is due.
- ☐ A fee of \$180.00 is due for the submission of the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☒ A fee for addition of claims under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 is due as follows:

FEES	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate Small Entity/Other Than Small Entity	Total
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	<u>33</u> * -	<u>20</u> **	<u>13</u>	X \$ 9.00 X \$ 18.00	\$117.00 \$
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	<u>9</u> * -	<u>3</u> ***	<u>6</u>	X \$ 43.00 X \$ 86.00	\$258.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$145.00 + \$290.00	\$0.00
				TOTAL	\$375.00

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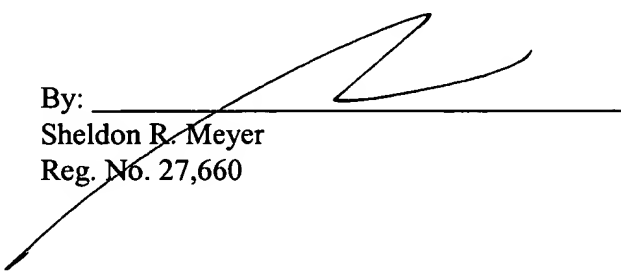
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 06-1325 in the amount of \$375.00. A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1325. A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 10, 2004

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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AMENDMENTS

This Response is in reply to the First Office Action mailed March 10, 2004, setting a three-month period for response. This response therefore is timely.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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02 FC:2202 117.00 DA